Mountain Weather Forecast

North Grampian

Including North and West Cairngorms National Park, Monadhliath, Ben Alder, Creag Meagaidh, Loch Ericht and Loch Rannoch
Forecast valid from 06:00 on Monday 22 Nov 2021 until 23:59 on Tuesday 23 Nov 2021

Forecast Issued on Monday 22 Nov 2021 at 02:48 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: High for general developments with winter conditions from mid-week. Medium for cloud details.

Headline for Monday 22 Nov 2021: Bright start. Becoming cloudy with summit fog and patchy rain.

Mountain weather hazards on Monday 22 Nov 2021

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy Snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
No Likelihood

Severe chill effect
No Likelihood

Poor visibility
Medium Likelihood

Thunderstorms
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
No Likelihood

Strong sunlight
No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Partly cloudy (night)	Sunny intervals	Cloudy	Drizzle	Drizzle	Drizzle
Precipitation probability					
<05%	10%	20%	40%	50%	50%

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Weather: Dry, bright start, but cloud thickening and lowering during the morning, becoming extensive across the area through this afternoon with patchy rain and summit snow. Cloudy with patchy rain and drizzle in the evening.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 80% this morning lowering 40% by midday and Nil to 20% by dusk.

Visibility: Very good or excellent at first, becoming poor or very poor at height during the day as cloud lowers onto the summits. Little or no significant cloud at first, but becoming extensive from the northwest during the day, bases widespread 600 to 900m by dusk.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1300	25/32 NW	23/30 W	20/27 W	22/30 NW	25/33 NW	24/31 NW	23/30 NW
900	15/17 SW	17/21 SW	15/19 SW	16/21 W	15/20 W	16/21 W	16/21 W
600	9/12 SW	14/18 SW	11/15 SW	13/18 W	11/16 W	11/15 W	11/16 W
300	3/8 SW	5/14 SW	5/13 W	5/12 W	6/13 W	5/13 W	5/13 W
Glen	3/12 SW	5/16 SW	5/14 SW	5/17 W	3/16 W	3/14 W	3/13 SW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1300	-3/-11	-1/-9	-1/-8	-1/-8	-1/-8	-1/-8	-2/-9
900	0/-5	2/-4	2/-3	2/-3	2/-3	2/-3	2/-4
600	2/-1	4/-1	4/1	4/0	4/0	4/0	4/-0
300	2/0	3/1	5/3	6/4	6/4	6/4	5/3
Glen	2/1	4/1	6/4	7/5	7/6	6/5	6/4
Freezing Level*	800m	1100m	1500m	1300m	1300m	1200m	1200m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View
Navigational difficulties developing at height during the day. Note the milder conditions setting in with rising freezing levels.

Forecast for Tuesday 23 Nov 2021
Weather: Cloudy with patchy light rain and drizzle, wintry over the highest summits, although often dry with some brighter spells possible.

Maximum wind: West or Southwest 20 to 25mph, gusting 35mph over the summits.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 40%

Visibility: Mainly very good lower down, but poor or very poor at times over the summits. Extensive cloud base around 1000m, patches to 600m possible around Creag Meagaidh and Ben Alder.

Temperature: **Glens:** Plus 3 Celsius rising to 10 Celsius
At 800m: Plus 3 Celsius
Freezing level: Around the highest summits.

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